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**Interview Summary**

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John M Hotaling II

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All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

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Date of Interview: 28 November 2004.Type: a) Telephonic b) Video Conference  
c) Personal [copy given to: 1) applicant2) applicant's representative]Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) Yes  
If Yes, brief description: \_\_\_\_\_e) No.Claim(s) discussed: independent.Identification of prior art discussed: that used in the rejection.Agreement with respect to the claims f) was reached. g) was not reached. h) N/A.Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: See Continuation Sheet.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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JOHN M. HOTALING, II  
PRIMARY EXAMINER

Examiner's signature, if required

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Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: The applicant's representative called the examiner to discuss the merits of the case. Specifically that the examiner did not address the specifics of real time as claimed. The examiner stated that it would be helpful if the specific areas of the specification which discuss real time were brought to the attention of the examiner along with an explanation of such and that further consideration would be given to the claim limitations when the response to the office action is received.

JOHN M. HOTALING, II  
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